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SUBJ: COCHABAMBA PRISONERS: LOCKING OF CELLS AT NIGHT

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1. EMBASSY IN PAST MONTH HAS RECEIVED SOME CONFLICTING REPORTS AS TO WHETHER US PRISONERS HAVE CONTINUED TO BE LOCKED IN THEIR CELLS DURING THE NIGHT. IN FOLLOWING UP THIS QUESTION, LT COL STULTS HAS NOW RECEIVED, THROUGH CHIEF OF POLICE IN COCHABAMBA, A COPY OF A LETTER FROM THE GOVERNOR OF THE MEN'S PRISON IN WHICH THE GOVERNOR STATES THAT ALL PRISONERS, REGARDLESS OF NATIONALITY, ARE TREATED IN THE SAME WAY, AND THAT NO REPEAT NO PRISONERS ARE LOCKED IN CELLS EITHER AT NIGHT OR IN THE DAY TIME.

2. EMBASSY WILL VERIFY THROUGH LT COL STULTS WHETHER THIS IS IN FACT THE PRESENT SITUATION AT THE JAIL. STEDMAN

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